

Social and Personal

MRS. WILLIAM WALDBORF ASTOR, JR., of London, Eng., formerly Miss Nannie Langhorn, of this city, arrived in Richmond Tuesday evening and is registered at the Jefferson Hotel.

Mrs. Astor landed in America some time ago and has been the guest of her father, C. D. Langhorne, at "Mirador" in Albemarle county, for a month. She has been a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Brooks at their home in New York.

Mrs. Charles C. Carey will entertain at an afternoon tea on Friday from 3 to 7 o'clock at her home, 198 North Morris Street, in honor of her sister, Mrs. Drewry, and Miss Sloane, of New York, who is her house guest for several weeks.

James Prick and Donnell Swan were hosts at a delightful "saddle party" luncheon on Saturday afternoon at Farnham Farm, Hot Springs. The hotel was deserted and every buckboard, carriage and saddle horse was engaged for the occasion.

Among recently announced engagements of interest to Richmond society is that of Miss Imogen Warwick, daughter of Mrs. Byrd Warwick of Hennington Road, to Harold M. Burrows of Albemarle county, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bryan, of 511 West Franklin Street, left yesterday for Atlantic City, where they will remain several days.

Miss Bessie Merritt, who has been the guest of Miss Rosalie Milnes for the past few days, returned to her home in Norfolk.

Mrs. Reuben Satterthwaite, who was also a guest for the Draper-Shields wedding in Richmond, returned to Washington, Del.

The last of the series of dances given by the Ginter Park Gaiting Club was a most attractive affair, and took place Tuesday evening.

Among those dancing were: Miss Mary Patterson, with Basil Jones; Miss Richardson, with D. Adamson; Miss Marie Kolner, with Jack Evans; Miss Margaret Thaw, with Bob Page; Miss Margaret Owen, with Edie Neal; Miss Louise Shield, with Bert Page; Miss Louise Harwood, with Alfred Smith; Miss Nell Sutton, with Mr. Coxhill; Miss Ella Smith, with Edwin Pilkington; Miss Charlotte Carter, of Fredericksburg, with Frank Sutton; Miss Nan Nobis, with Sam Cottrell; Miss Edlynn, with Singleton Walker; Miss Martha Fitzgerald, with Mr. Carlisle; Miss Dolly Adams, with Mr. Waddill; Miss Emily Wade, with Rollo Pusey; Miss Cary Talcott, with Keith Jones, and others.

The stars were: Dr. Hughes, of Fredericksburg; Lewell Hastings, Everett Meade, Dillie Eppert, Bob Gwathmey, Alfred Smith, A. Saunders, Mr. Langhorn, and others.

By special request a dance will be given on May 29.

Visitors Entertained. All pains and quantities of American Beauty roses decorated the rooms at the Jefferson Hotel Tuesday evening.

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When the members of the Druggists' Convention were very charmingly entertained at a reception yesterday afternoon a card party was given in the parlors of the Woman's Club. The rooms were beautifully arranged throughout with vases of gladioli and baskets of crimson roses.

To-morrow evening at 9 o'clock the convention will be tendered a very handsome reception at the Executive Mansion, when His Excellency the Governor of Virginia and Mrs. Mann will be the hosts.

Mr. Frederick McLaughlin, of Baltimore, left yesterday to visit friends in New York for a few days. She will accompany her mother, Mrs. William A. Wylie, and her sisters, the Misses Wylie, to Fredericksburg, where they will spend the early summer, going later to Ashland to visit the sister of Mrs. Wylie.

James Carney was host of a very attractive oyster roast given last Wednesday evening at his bachelor apartments in Norfolk county, near Churchland, in honor of Miss Sarah Lyles, of Columbia, S. C. Cards proved a pleasurable pastime for a while, and later the oyster roast was on the lawn.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trotman, Captain and Mrs. Charles B. Taylor, Misses Stuart Wise, Annie Wright, Evelyn Johnson, Mabel Deans, Clara and Beale Kirn, Ione Carney, Gertrude and Elizabeth Armistead and Sarah Lyles, R. and Bruce Carney, Eley and Moffat Johnson, Horace Deans, Herbert Heizer, Rufus Kirn, W. P. McEalain, Garland Griffin, Robert Dodson, I. B. Richardson and Percy Trotman.

Jeffries-Inniger. A pretty but quiet home wedding took place Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock in the family residence, 219 East Grace Street, when Miss Lucy Bruce Harper, daughter of Mrs. George Kenton Harper, became the bride of Thomas Tabb Jeffries.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Y. Pair, D. D., pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. James W. Morris, rector of Monumental Episcopal Church.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries left for a Northern trip, and will be home to their friends after June 1.

Important Meeting. There will be an important called meeting of the Senior and Junior O.K. Woodmen Association, in St. John's Church Sunday school room tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A pretty but quiet wedding took place yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at the residence of Rev. Robert Forsyth, 412 East Grace Street, when Miss Julia Brooke Wright was married to Charles Collier Gee, formerly of Petersburg.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. H. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Dr. J. H. Foster, Tuesday at 2 o'clock in Wilmington, N. C. Mr. and Mrs. Lane are guests at the Colonial Inn, Wilmington, N. C., and will shortly return to their home in this city.

In and Out of Town. Miss Elizabeth Puryear, of Orange, Va., is the guest of her sister, Miss Sallie Puryear, at 705 West Grace Street.

Dr. and Mrs. D. M. R. Culbreth, of Baltimore, are the guests of friends in this city for a brief visit.

Miss Nora Kelly, of Richmond, is visiting friends in Fredericksburg for some time.

David Dunlop, of Petersburg, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunlop Wight, of Kinloch Farm, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Keller, of Suffolk, are spending a few days in this city with relatives.

Mrs. James Thompson, of Richmond, is visiting Mrs. W. A. Bell at her home in Fredericksburg for some time.

Mrs. Kirk Otey, Jr., has been spending some time in this city as the guest of relatives and friends before returning to her home in Lynchburg.

Miss Allice Stokes, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Marshall, in Washington, has returned to Richmond.

Mrs. W. H. Glasseck, of Burkville, is spending this week with relatives in this city.

Mrs. William Campbell and little son are visiting Mrs. J. E. Stone at the University of Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Ripley, who have been spending some time in New York, have returned to Richmond.

Mrs. Harry Frazier is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Erskine Miller, in Staunton.

Mrs. C. S. McNulty and daughters, Frances and Anne, have returned from a stay of six weeks in Richmond as the guests of Mrs. McNulty's parents.

Suggs-Kendig. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Spotsylvania, Va., May 4.—Clifton, the home of Samuel E. Kendig, of Lewiston, Va., was the scene of a beautiful home wedding to-day at high noon. The contracting parties were Jeremiah B. J. Suggs, of Caroline county, and Miss Lucy Bosley Kendig, the accomplished daughter of S. E. Kendig.

Miss Eiva Clonstine Kendig, sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor, and Chesley Landrum Wattle was best man. The bride was given away by her brother, Dr. Edwin L. Kendig, of Victoria, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. C. B. Saunders, of the Baptist Church, during which

"Annie Laurie" was softly rendered by Mrs. Randolph B. Burruss, sister of the bride.

FLOOD IS NOMINEE. Primary for Congressional Candidates in Tenth Declared Off.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Lynchburg, Va., May 4.—The Democratic Committee of the Tenth Congressional District met here to-day, and declared H. D. Flood the Democratic candidate for re-election next fall, no other candidate having offered up to noon yesterday, the time for notification of the committee also expired. The primary, which had been given for August 5, off.

The meeting took place on the platform at the union station, and it lasted only a few moments. Colonel Joseph Burton arrived on the train on which Congressman Allen returned to Norfolk county, and the candidate was declared the nominee while the train was waiting in the station.

RAILROAD DEPOT BURNED. Station at Aurora Destroyed, Causing Loss of About \$75,000.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Washington, N. C., May 4.—News reached this city this morning of the burning of the Washington and Vandalia Railroad depot, at the town of Aurora, last night, between 8 and 9 o'clock. The fire destroyed the entire roof of the building was on fire, and in spite of heroic efforts on the part of the citizens, the entire freight and passenger depot was totally destroyed, as well as about fifty yards of track. The loss is estimated at between \$5,000 and \$7,000.

The cause of the fire is unknown, rats believed to be the cause.

Murphy a Candidate for Congress. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Salisbury, N. C., May 4.—Yes, I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Eighth District, were the words of Walter Murphy, of Salisbury, who is well known to the politicians of both parties in North Carolina. He states, however, that he is not going to make any campaign for Congress. An announcement will create much interest throughout the State, and especially in the counties of Rowan, Cabarrus, Stanly, Iredell, Alexander, Wilkes and others.

Postmastership at Salisbury. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Salisbury, N. C., May 4.—A question that is receiving much attention in Salisbury this week is who will be appointed postmaster. J. H. Ramsey, the incumbent, is a candidate for re-election, and has a very strong following. His chief clerk, W. Henry Hobson, is also a candidate for the appointment, and his friends claim an equally strong support. Representative Chas. H. Cowles was in Salisbury this week, but declined to intimate who will be recommended for the place.

NEW COURSE AT UNIVERSITY. Chair of Portuguese Established and Professor Elected.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Charlottesville, Va., May 4.—James Cook Bardin, who graduated from the University of Virginia Medical School last June, has decided to stop the practice of medicine, and accept the chair of Portuguese in the Department of Roman Languages, at the University of Virginia. Mr. Bardin will sail for Brazil on June 5, and spend the whole of the summer studying the language, and preparing himself for the course he is to give at the university during the session of 1910-11.

In addition to the establishment of a school of Portuguese in the university, there has been some talk of instituting a department under Mr. Bardin which will offer a course, not only in Portuguese, but which will have to do with industrial and economic conditions of the South American countries.

The object of this venture would be to prepare young men for business in South America, there being a great number of young Americans who go from the United States each year to make their livelihood in that country.

Whether the university decides to have the new department or not will have no effect on Mr. Bardin's taking up his work as professor of Portuguese next session. While in Brazil this summer Mr. Bardin will make tours to all of the principal cities of that country, and while learning the language will endeavor to imbibe the actual spirit of the country, and be able to make his courses more delightful by its interpretation.

While a medical student at the university Mr. Bardin was, during the session of 1908-09, editor-in-chief of the university magazine. Since his graduation he has contributed several essays of merit to that publication.

Cotton Mill Increases Stock. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Salisbury, N. C., May 4.—The Vance Cotton Mill Company voted yesterday to increase its capital from \$100,000 to \$300,000 at once. The number of spindles will be increased from 400,000 to 1,200,000. It is proposed to erect larger buildings and make other extensive improvements.

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THREE STOCKADES HOLD YOUNG GIRLS

White Slaves Kept in Readiness for Demands of Purchasers.

MORE LIGHT ON "TRADE" Levenson Tells Further Revolting Details of Traffic in Human Flesh.

New York, May 4.—Harry Levenson, who is under indictment for selling young girls into lives of shame, told the district attorney today that there are at least three "stockades" in New York, in each of which from five to twenty young girls are kept ready night and day for instant delivery wherever they may be wanted. His counsel was with him during the interview and confirmed it to-night.

Little effort, said Levenson, was made to recruit women from the street. The stockades are filled from the host of young girls who are unhappy at home, or who live narrow lives on their own earnings and long for the leisure, good clothes, gaudy and freedom from restraint. Well-dressed women make it a business to frequent cheap restaurants, moving picture theatres, sentimental matinees and carnivals, and first winning attention with an invitation to dinner, then describe the case and pleasure of the alternative they propose.

Selling the Girls. The girl delivered to the stockade, it then becomes the business of the proprietor to place his merchandise. It was in this end of the traffic, Levenson told the district attorney, that he was a specialist. The business was to find a house where the girl was wanted.

The house paid the stockade keeper a lump sum and allowed Levenson a 10 per cent. commission on the girl's earnings. He and others like him kept in touch with their charges, he said, and often transferred them from house to house. He had little to do with recruiting "that was almost wholly in the hands of women, who found it easier to get a hearer."

Levenson said he began as a salesman of women's raincoats. It happened that most of his customers were inmates of resorts, and, as he learned more of the life, he dropped selling clothes and took to trading in the girls.

George A. Miller, the government agent in the case, he said, about three weeks ago in a cafe, Miller won his confidence and told him that they were in the same line of work. A "Mrs. Miller from the West" was introduced, who complained of the scarcity of girls. Levenson introduced two of his girls, Miller looked the girls over, accepted them, paid for them, and both were subsequently delivered in Atlantic City. Then Levenson was arrested.

There was no further word to-night of the little Hastings girl, eleven years old, who is missing from the flat of the negro, Belle Moore, and who, it is feared, may have been murdered.

RICHMOND HEIRESS QUEEN OF GIPSIES

Young Woman Loves the Life, and Rules Destinies of Camp.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Worcester, Mass., May 4.—Three months a queen of the gipsies, Katherine Varard Filitatos Johnson, a reputed heiress, formerly of Richmond, and now of the world, is ruling the destinies of the Johnson gipsy family, camped till yesterday at Dead Horse Hill. She says she loves the life. This Johnson gipsy family is of no plebeian descent. It claims to be of the purest royal gipsy blood. Added to this is the fact that Ephraim Johnson, who wielded the sceptre at the Worcester camp, claims to be chief of all the gipsies of the world.

Queen Katherine says she married Millan Johnson about three months ago in Elizabeth, N. J., after a courtship of two or three weeks. At that time New York newspapers had the story of the romantic marriage of the young heiress and the young gipsy. While the amount of her fortune is not admitted by her, it is reported to be from \$50,000 to \$100,000, and her joining the gipsies was considered a freak of fancy by her friends.

Queen Katherine granted an interview to a reporter in her tent at Camp Jamesville yesterday, and told him how she came to throw in her lot with the gipsies.

"From a child," she said, "I had a longing for this life. I eagerly read everything I could get upon the subject, and always haunted gipsy camps whenever possible. At last, in spite of the fact that wealth will be mine with the settling of the estate, I am content to be a gipsy and I am happy. I would not change it for anything, unless I change my mind some time."

What she will do with her fortune she has not yet decided, but is considering the establishment of a camp of her own, as the camps grow larger and new ones branch out. The young queen is apparently well educated and with perfect manners which would pass muster in any society. However, gipsy life is the life for her, and she means to stick by it.

PANIC-STRICKEN MEN NOW GUM-SHOE MOST SOFTLY

Gentle reader, if you see in the course of the day's care and toil a prominent business man gum-shoeing around the corner and beating it to the next block by way of cab, car or plain foot, do not jump to the conclusion that the mysterious Eddie Fay is in the city contemplating a raid on the post-office, or that a woman's suffrage parade on the lookout for victims is coming up the street. It is just Mr. Prominent Business Man evading with all legal steps—and some of those steps won't beat out Jimmy Rector—the sheriff of Charlotte county.

There is a case on the docket of the Charlotte Circuit Court, which holds in the nature of bank litigation and consisting of evidence by the gross ton, will take at least two weeks in the hearing. Yesterday the sheriff of Charlotte county, a jovial soul as ever lived, blew arrived and otherwise presented himself with legal authority to summon a full venire for the case.

On the list of possible jurors, which he brought with him, is the name of almost every really busy man in Richmond. Or so it would seem from the explanations and excuses given. These business men have commitments, meaning large jobs of money to them, extending from the uttermost parts of the earth to the distant swamps. Here they have a slight hesitancy in accepting the lucrative and honorable job of Charlotte county juror.

Charlotte, Va., May 4.—It has been rumored in this city during the past few days that the Norfolk and Southern Railroad will in a short while begin the use of telephones in the dispatching of its trains, and that they will have their telephone line from Norfolk to this city installed and in use early this summer. On this stretch of 135 miles there are to be twenty telephone stations, and the equipment will be so arranged that the chief dispatcher can call the stations either individually or collectively. The Norfolk and Southern Railroad is doing a great deal for this section of the State, and constantly improving its service. The telephone installation is being done under the supervision of the signal engineer of the Virginian Railway, G. N. McDougald.

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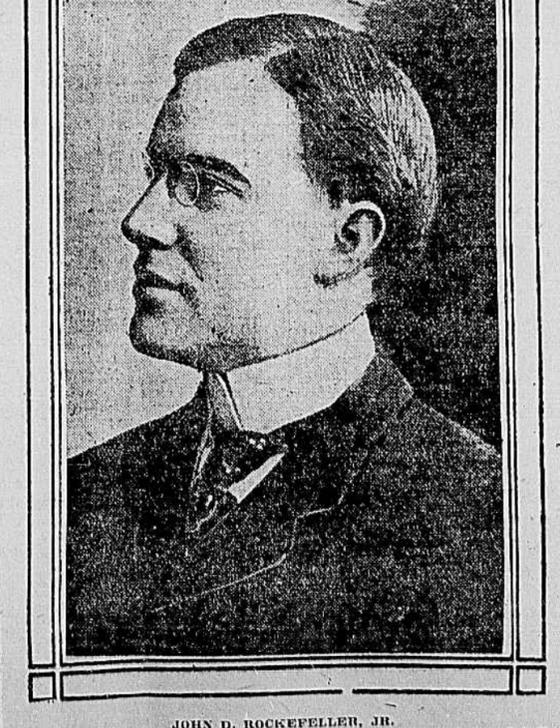
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